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100 bbls Baker's Extra.

The attention of Bakers is particularly asked to this Flour as

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100 half bbls Mess and Clear Pork,
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Next door to Langley Bros.' Drug Store,

WHERE HE OFFERS FOR SALE AN

Entire New Stock of

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—AND—

Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods

HATS, CAPS AND

DRY GOODS,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

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Cor. Yates and Broad streets.

Notice to Families and Housekeepers.

I HAVE THIS DAY COMMENCED TO Retail

Sodn, Boston, Butter, Sugar, Water and Pic Nic Crackers,

NAVY BREAD AND PILOT BREAD,

At prices far below that of any other establishment in this city.

A large and fresh assortment constantly on hand

ap15 1m SAM'L NESBITT.

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THE ATTENTION OF AGRICULTURALISTS is particularly directed to the Samples of Messrs. R. Horuby & Sons'

Patent Wrought Iron Ploughs,

For which Champion Prizes were awarded by the various Agricultural Societies of England,

ARE VERY LIGHT,

And can be adapted for ploughing from four to nine inches deep.

We would also invite the attention of Farmers to Messrs. Horaby's

Excelsior Harrows,

Which are well worthy an examination.

mh22 1m DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO.

WALTON & BARNETT,

Accountants, Debt Collectors,

—AND—

GENERAL AGENTS.

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Office—Corner of Commercial and Yates streets.

mh24 1m

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JOHN WRIGHT, OF SACRAMENTO, has established himself in San Francisco for the manufacture of every description of PICKS, made of the best material, at reduced prices

PICK EYES, of the best iron, furnished in any quantity at low rates. Orders from the country promptly attended to.

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ROUTES TO CARIBOO.

MINERS, ATTENTION

Nearest Highway to Cariboo

VIA

Douglas and Lillooet.

Read the truth and judge for yourselves.

Fare from New Westminster to Douglas per steamer Union, $1.

Fare from Douglas to Lillooet, by Stages and Steamers, not to exceed $20.

Or if you wish to walk over a good Wagon Road, the fare over the three Lakes, $1 for each Lake

AMOUNT OF LAND TRAVEL OVER the Wagon Road as follows:

From Douglas to Handcock's,	- - - -	4 miles.
Thence to Perry's,	- - - - - -	6 "
" Hensley's,	- - - - - -	1 "
" Chapais',	- - - - - -	3 "
" Gowan's,	- - - - - -	2 "
" Stein's (Hot Springs),	- - -	4 "
" Joice's,	- - - - - -	4 "
" Williams',	- - - - - -	4 "
" Pemberton, over the Lillooet Lakes, now connected by Steamers, (fare, $1)	-	20 "
" Half-Way House,	- - - -	12 "
" Anderson Lake,	- - - -	12 "
From Anderson and Seaton Lakes to Port Seaton (fare $1 on each Lake),		34 "
Thence to Lillooet Flat,	- - - -	3½ "
Whole distance from Douglas to Lillooet, by land, over a good Wagon Road,	-	55½ "

Remember that Lillooet is 45 Miles above Lytton.

From Lillooet to Quesnelle City, per present Route, as follows:

From Lillooet to Fountain,	- - - -	7 miles.
Thence to Pavillion,	- - - - -	11 "
" Leon's,	- - - - -	11 "
" Big Bar Creek,	- - - - -	16 "
" Canoe Creek,	- - - - -	18 "
" Dog Creek,	- - - - -	10 "
" Alkali,	- - - - -	12 "
" Chimney Creek,	- - - - -	17 "
" Williams' Lake,	- - - - -	7 "
" Deep Creek,	- - - - -	10 "
" Round Tent,	- - - - -	10 "
" Beaver Lake,	- - - - -	20 "
" Little Lake,	- - - - -	16 "
" Quesnelle City,	- - - - -	7 "

Making the entire distance (per present Route), by land, from Douglas to Quesnelle City, 227½ miles, or 81½ miles less of land travel than the Yale and Lytton Route.

The Wagon Road now being constructed by Messrs. G. B. Wright & Co., and which will be opened for foot travelers or horsemen by the first of May, will shorten the present Route 20 miles, which will increase the difference in distance of land travel in favor of the Douglas-Lillooet Route to 101½ miles.

Good Houses will be found at all the points named, where feed for man and beast can be obtained.

One thousand Mules and Horses will start from Lillooet for the Cariboo Mines during the month of April. Stages will be placed on the Wagon Road now being constructed from Lillooet to Williams' Lake as fast as completed.

The distances above stated from Douglas to Lillooet over the Wagon Road have been ascertained by actual measurement; and from Lillooet up, from the most reliable source—viz., the Packers and Miners.

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Facts for the Public.

READ! READ!!

THE HOPE, YALE, BOSTON BAR

—AND—

LYTTON ROUTE!

IS THE ONLY

CHEAP AND DIRECT ROUTE TO THE NORTHERN MINES.

LOOK AT THE MAP OF B. C. AND examine the line of the Yale and Lytton route and the line of the Douglas-Lillooet route and see for yourselves. Then consider that you have nearly a dozen different fares to pay to different individuals, over different lakes, portages, &c in the short distance of 109½ miles on the Douglas route, and compare these with the fact that there is uninterrupted steam travel to Yale, and but one fare to pay. You can walk from Yale to Lytton in two days, and when there you will find that you have saved in traveling expenses nearly sufficient to carry you to Quesnelle River.

Ask any disinterested party who has traveled both routes and you will receive all the proof you desire.

Mule Trains will leave Lytton for Quesnelle River and the Cariboo Mines almost every day during the Packing Season.

Freight and Passengers will be carried from Lytton to the mines at less charges than from any other point in lower British Columbia

THE FRASER RIVER ROUTE

Is the only route through the interior of British Columbia provided with Hotels for the accommodation of persons en route to the Mines

From Lytton the traveler ascends Thompson River a distance of 20 miles, and crossing that stream at Cook & Kimball's Ferry, passes into the valley of the Bonaparte and into the great "Brigade Trail," which leads on to Quesnelle River. Numbers of Miners will ascend the North Fork of Thompson River in canoes until they strike the great Cariboo Lake. The North Fork of Thompson and its tributaries are said to flow through a Rich Mineral Country equal to the famous Cariboo Range. Those who desire to go to the Cariboo Mines via the North Fork of the Thompson, can obtain all necessary supplies at Lytton.

☞ Read the following

TABLE OF DISTANCES,

Carefully Compiled from information furnished by reliable Packers and Miners:

From Fort Yale to Spuzame,	- - -	11 miles.
Thence to Boston Bar,	- - - - -	14
Forest House,	- - - - -	18
Lytton City,	- - - - -	20
Nicomin,	- - - - -	10
Cook & Kimball's Ferry,	- - -	10
McLean's,	- - - - -	30
Scotty's,	- - - - -	2
The Mound,	- - - - -	6
Upper Crossing Bonaparte,	- - -	10
Green Lake,	- - - - -	12
Bridge Creek,	- - - - -	20
Lake La Hache,	- - - - -	20
Deep Creek,	- - - - -	12
Williams' Lake,	- - - - -	18
Ten-Mile Creek,	- - - - -	10
Round Tent,	- - - - -	10
Beaver Lake,	- - - - -	20
Little Lake,	- - - - -	16
Quesnelle City,	- - - - -	7

At all the above places good Accommodations for both Man and Beast can be found. The superiority of the Yale and Lytton Route to Quesnelle River, in connection with the Public Houses along the Road, is inducement sufficient to direct all travelers who consider time, safety and accommodations of any importance

☞ If you desire to get to the Cariboo Country, avoiding delay and unnecessary expense,

Go the Hope, Yale and Lytton Route.

1000 MEN WANTED to work on the Wagon Road from Yale to the Cariboo Mines. See advertisements. ap4 1md&w

PARTNER WANTED.

ON ACCOUNT OF ILL HEALTH, IN one of the best established Hotel and Boarding Houses in town or would dispose of the same on moderate terms.

Apply at the Office of this paper. ja8 0m

WANTS.

WANTED

AT UTSALADY MILL, CAMANO ISland, W. T., Twenty or Thirty Axe-men who understand making spars and square timber.

Apply to Capt. J. Nagle, Victoria, or to the undersigned at the mill.

GRENNAN & CRANNEY.

Victoria, V. I., 11th April. 1y

WANTED.

A GOOD COOK WANTED.

Apply at the INTERNATIONAL HOTEL.

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1000 Laborers Wanted,

TO WORK ON THE GREAT TRUNK Wagon Road from Yale to Cariboo.

Wages will be paid in cash on the Road.

Sub-contracts will be let in large and small sections.

For further particulars, apply to Charles Oppenheimer, at Yale and Lytton; or to Thomas B. Lewis and Walter Moberly, on the Road.

ap4 2m C. OPPENHEIMER & CO.

300 Men Wanted,

TO WORK ON THE WAGON ROAD from Boston Bar to Lytton, to be paid in Cash on the road at the expiration of each month, if desired.

Parties wishing to take Sub-Contracts will be arranged with on favorable terms.

Apply to T SPENCE, Boston Bar; or to Messrs OPPENHEIMER, Yale; or to Mr. GEO. LANDVORGHT, Hope.

mh28 2m

500 Men Wanted,

TO WORK ON A WAGON ROAD FROM Lilloett to Mud Lake.

No one will be hired for a period less than two months. If they wish they can engage until the full completion of the Road. Wages will be paid IN CASH ON THE ROAD, at the expiration of the time for which men are hired.

Any persons desirous of taking sub-contracts for sections of the Road not less than five miles, will have an opportunity of so doing. Such Contractors will be paid in instalments as the Road progresses, sufficient of the amount being retained to ensure that those portions are kept in repair for four months after their completion by such Contractors.

Application to be made to the undersigned, at Port Douglas or Lillooet.

G. B. WRIGHT & CO.

Port Douglas, March 24th, 1862. mh25 1m

Wanted in a Small Family,

A MAN WHO CAN COOK AND WHO understands looking after Horses. Apply to

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F. J. De St. Ours,

Commission Merchant

—AND—

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St. Our's Wharf, Victoria, V. I.

Always on hand and for sale in lots to suit,

FLOUR,	PEAS,
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Cases CAMPHENE,
" KEROSENE, very superior,
" ELEPHANT OIL,
" POLAR OIL,
" NEATS FOOT OIL,
" SPERM OIL,
" LARD OIL,
" BOILED LINSEED OIL,
" RAPE SEED OIL,
" BIDWELL'S AXLE GREASE,
" ENG'H WHITE COPAL VARNISH
Kegs PREMIUM WHITE LEAD.

—ALSO—

30 cases FRENCH FRUITS in glass.
PRESERVED PROVISIONS for Miners' use.
MINING IMPLEMENTS of all kinds.

F. J. De ST. OURS,
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OF SAN FRANCISCO.

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DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO.,
ap10 Agents.

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GARDEN SEEDS!

THE PRODUCE OF

HILLSIDE GARDEN,

And guaranteed to be of

Last Year's Growth,

FOR SALE BY

W. M. SEARBY,

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Fruit Trees for Sale.



6000 WELL-GROWN FRUIT trees, 2 and 3 years old.

—ALSO—

A large assortment of PLUM, CHERRY, PEAR, AND APPLE TREES.

Raspberry, Currant, Gooseberry and Strawberry Bushes.

Rhubarb Plants and a large assortment of Greenhouse Plants.

All trees and plants bought of and planted by me will be guaranteed for one season.

Gardens will be laid out and put in order by the undersigned.

Specimens of fruit trees can be seen at the grocery store, No. 50 Government street, next door to A. Hoffman's dry goods store.

C. DECHENT,
ap6 Practical Gardener

Wright & Saunders.

ARCHITECTS,

Office: CORNER YATES AND LANGLEY STS
Victoria V. I. ap7

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FOR RENT.

A HOUSE SITUATED ON THE OLD Esquimalt Road, opposite to Mr. Russell's cottage, suitable for a private family or business place, with an Acre of rich garden ground, well fenced; also, on the same premises, a well of good water, and several outhouses.

For particulars apply to

J. D CARROLL,
Liquor Merchant, Yates St.,
Or to the HALF-WAY HOUSE,
Esquimalt Road.

ap16 1m

FOR SALE.

TWO WORK OXEN, ABOUT SIX YEAR old. Are in good condition.

Apply to

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Dwelling Houses to Lease.

TO RENT, ON MODERATE TERMS, a commodious house situated on Scoresby street

ALSO—A Cottage containing three rooms, kitchen and conveniences, situated on Park street, with or without about an acre of rich garden ground, well fenced.

ALSO—Two Cottages on Fort street, near Government street.

ALSO—A small Cottage on Collinson street with garden ground, facing Church Reserve.

For particulars apply to

JOHN J. COCHRANE,
ap8 10t

Lots for Sale.

LOTS NO. 809 AND 810 YATES STREET. For sale by

JOSEPH AUSTEN.
ap7

To Let.

A WAREHOUSE ALONGSIDE THE WHARF at Esquimalt fronting on the principal street. The building is 60 feet by 30, the whole or part of which can be obtained on favorable terms.

—ALSO—

THAT WELL KNOWN ROADSIDE INN THE ST. GEORGE,

Situated half way on the new road to Esquimalt, together with half an acre of cleared land. Rent, moderate.

RESTAURANT AT ESQUIMALT.

WANTED. A tenant for a building admirably situated for establishing a good Restaurant. It adjoins the Cosmopolitan Hotel and is next to the Wharf. Great inducements offered with regard to rent.

WANTED.

A man competent to take charge of

A RANCH IN BRITISH COLUMBIA.

—ALSO—

A PACKER.

The particulars of several good investments can be obtained by applying to

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General Agents,
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To be Sold, Furnished.

A TWO STORY COTTAGE AT ESquimalt, recently built, containing two Sitting Rooms, three Bed Rooms, Kitchen, back Kitchen, etc.

The Cottage is beautifully situated near Hospital Point, and commands an extensive view of the Straits and Esquimalt Harbor.

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Or at the Royal Naval Hospital, Esquimalt.
ap2 1m

TO LET.

ROOMS SUITABLE FOR OFFICES, in Bell's Brick Building, up stairs, cor Fort and Langley streets, Victoria. mh25 1m

Good Business for Sale.

THE WELL-KNOWN PIONEER BATH and Shaving Saloon next to the Colonial Hotel, Government street. The Proprietor will sell the whole of the Business or one-half. A long lease is attached.

For further particulars, apply on the premises.

mh26 1m

To Lime-Burners.

TO LEASE ON MODERATE TERMS, two substantially built Kilns on Esquimalt harbor, with limestone of excellent quality.

Apply to

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mh24 1m Government street.

EX "SALAMANDER."

OILMAN'S STORES—136 cases Pickles, Pie Fruits, Sauces, Salad Oil, Curry Powders, Capers, Mustard, &c., &c., from Geo. F. Coward's Manufactory, London.

CONFECTIONERY—A variety.

VINEGAR—20 hhds best English Malt.

For sale by

DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO.,
ap8 Wharf street.

A Good Chance.

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FOR SALE, OR, TO LET

WITH OR WITHOUT THE STOCK.

THIS ESTABLISHMENT FOR THE sale of Feed and Provisions, of four years standing, is well known, and is only disposed of on account of the owner leaving the Island.

The Building can store 100 TONS OF FEED, independently of the two rooms occupied by the family. The basement is warranted against the intrusion of rats.

Parties having claims against the Subscriber are required to present their Bills, and those indebted will please settle immediately as the proprietor leaves toward the end of the month.

Apply on the premises to

L. MOUTTET.

Johnson street, below Store street.

ap 12-1m

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EX "PACIFIC,"

AT PRIVATE SALE.

100 Sides Aparajo Leather,

Calf Skins,

Sheep Skins,

Sadler's Thread, all color

Needles.

F. M. BACKUS,
ap2 2w No. 6 Commercial Row, Wharf st.

A. P. EVERETT,

Commission Merchant,

NO. 10, WHARF STREET,

VICTORIA. ap10

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Wines and Liquors.

PHILLIP, DeYOUNG & CO.,

Importers and Dealers in

Brandies, Wines, Liquors and Ales,

NO. 15, WHARF STREET, NEAR YATES.

Ex Late Arrivals.

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HENNESSY BRANDY—Pale (choice) in qr casks
MARTELL " Pale (choice) in qr casks
BONNIOT " do do ⅛ casks,
PELLEVOISIN " do do ⅛ do
A. CAMUS " do do ⅛ do
RUM—All kinds.
WHISKY—Scotch and other, in large quantities
PORT WINES—In cases, choice quality.
SHERRY WINES—In cases, choice quality.
PORT AND SHERRY—In qr-casks.
HOLLAND GIN—Superior, in pipes and cases.
OLD TOM GIN—In puncheons and cases.
ALE—100 cases Pale Ale, in fine order.
PORTER—100 cases in fine order.
BITTERS—Of every brand and description.
SYRUPS, CORDIALS, &c.
CLARET WINES—In casks and cases large stock.
CHAMPAGNE WINES—A complete stock of all the favorite brands.

☞ Sole Agents for Phillips & Hogans' Syrups.

mh24 1m

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Every Packet bears the signature of the sole Manufacturer, HARPER TWELVETREE, "The Works," Bromley-by-Bow, London, E., the largest Manufacturer of Washing Powder in the world. Sold by all Grocers and Druggists

Agents, Messrs. JANION & GREEN,
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August 31, 1858.

[Lace Dresser by Appointment to the Queen.]

GENTLEMEN:—I have used your Starch for a considerable time, and have much pleasure in saying that is the best Starch I have ever used. It surpasses any of the Foreign Manufacturers for giving a beautiful finish to the most delicate fabrics. For fine laces, &c., it is invaluable.

I am, Gentlemen, yours respectfully,

ELIZABETH CURLING.

Agents, Messrs. JANION & GREEN,
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THE UNDERSIGNED HAS RECeived positive instructions to close immediately the following well selected invoices:

Clothing,
Groceries,
Provisions,
Tobacco,
Sugar,
Oats,
Beef,
Pork,
Hams, &c., &c.

The goods are on view at his store on Wharf street, foot of Yates street.

WILLIAM JEFFRAY, Broker,
ap17 1w Wharf street

Mrs. Jeffray

HAS JUST RECEIVED,

By Express from London and Paris, one of the best selected Invoices of

Ladies' Bonnets and Hats,

—AND—

Children's Hats and Turbans,

Ever Imported to this country, with a large assortment of

FRENCH AND ENGLISH PRINTS,

BRUSSELS CARPETING.

And a general assortment of Goods, all of which she invites Ladies to call and judge for themselves, at her Store on Government street. ap17 1m

MAP

OF THE

CARRIBOO MINES,

Embracing the

Gold Regions of British Columbia,

WITH ROUTES, NAMES AND DISTANCES between each mining locality, carefully compiled from the best authority, by Mr. G. Epner. For sale by

HIBBEN & CARSWELL.
ap18 2m

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THE UNDERSIGNED HAS IMPORTed the finest Mineral Teeth and Dental Materials that are to be found on the Pacific coast, and is ready to furnish sets or single teeth in the best style. Dentistry in all its branches will be attended to by

DR ZELNER,

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EX "SALAMANDER."

POWDER—225 Packages Messrs. John Hall & Sons Blasting and Gunpowder.

For sale by

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ap8 Wharf street.

Ex "Salamander."

BLANKETS—150 pairs White and Blue, 2½ and 3 points.

For sale by

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Asparagus Plants,

RAISED IN VICTORIA.

$2 50 PER HUNDRED.

Apply to

W. M. SEARBY,
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THE BRITISH COLONIST

TO ADVERTISERS.

All advertisements, unless the time for which they are to be inserted is specified, will be continued until ordered out, and so charged.

Monday Morning, April 21, 1862.

Shipping of this Port.

In our insular position—so admirably adapted to commerce and navigation, it cannot but be interesting to all who take an interest in the state and growth of those two important elements of our prosperity to note occasionally the exact tonnage of the port, whether British or foreign, and the arrivals and departures. The only places from which vessels have entered or cleared for is our coast, British Columbia, Washington Territory, Oregon, California, Honolulu Hongkong, and London. A comparison of the first quarter of 1861, with the same period this year, is shown in the following table:

ENTERED.

	Vessels.	British ton'e.	Foreign.
Jan. 1861	90	2614	7661
Feb. "	85	1722	9597
March "	103	2453	6491
Total	278	6789	23.749
Jan. 1862	59	707	6648
Feb. "	61	1284	7663
March "	77	1879	9385
Total	197	3930	27.594

CLEARED.

	Vessels.	British ton'e.	Foreign.
Jan. 1861	84	1999	5760
Feb. "	117	2663	8946
March "	113	2453	6491
Total	314	7.115	21 057
Jan 1862	50	1790	7554
Feb. "	63	1239	6992
March "	88	2355	9881
Total	201	5404	24.037

It will be observed that the total tonnage entered during the first quarter of this year is 2944 tons less than for the same period last year; whilst the clearances issued this year show an excess of tonnage over last year of 1269 tons. The decrease in the entrance tonnage may be chiefly attributed to the stoppage of communication with New Westminster by the ice-blockade. There is a manifest decrease in the amount of British tonnage which may be attributed to the same cause. Where the most marked difference is visible is in the number of arrivals and departures. Whilst there is very little difference in the tonnage entered, there were 81 vessels more entered last year than there were this; and though there is an excess of tonnage in the clearances this year, yet there were cleared 113 vessels less than in 1861. When we recollect that our imports have been about the same as last year, it shows that there has been a greater diminution this year in the number of small vessels entering and clearing at this port, which has been fully made up in the total tonnage of larger vessels. The small vessels are wholly engaged in coasting, in the inter-colonial trade, and between here and Port Townsend. On reference however to the list of arrivals from Port Townsend, we find that there is a small increase over last year. The arrivals from there for the first quarter of 1861 were 16 steamers, 48 schooners, 25 sloops, and 2 boats, making a total of 91 vessels. The arrivals for the same period this year were 25 steamers, 1 brig, 50 schooners, and 31 sloops—total, 107; or an increase in arrivals of 16 vessels. The departures for Port Townsend in the first quarter of 1861 were 21 steamers, 10 barks, 1 brig, 57 schooners, 19 sloops, and 6 boats—total, 114 vessels For the same period and place this year, there were cleared 22 steamers, 8 barks, 4 brigs, 48 schooners, 25 sloops, and 2 boats—total, 109; or five vessels less than in 1861. It does not appear then that the diminution in the number of arrivals is materially affected by the Puget Sound trade.

On reference to our inter-colonial trade, including New Westminster, the Northwest Coast, Queen Charlotte's Island, and Stikine, we find that there is a considerable falling off in the arrivals and departures this year. The severe winter is doubtless the true cause. For the first quarter in 1861, there arrived from British Columbia 33 steamers, 12 schooners, 1 sloop, and 1 boat—total, 47 vessels; and for the same period this year, 19 steamers, 7 schooners, and 2 sloops—total, 28; or 19 arrivals less than last year. The clearances issued for the first quarter in 1861, were 27 steamers, 6 schooners, 3 sloops, and 28 boats—total, 64; and for the same period this year, 22 steamers, 12 schooners, 7 sloops, and 13 boats—making a total of 54 vessels, or ten clearances less than last year The decrease in our inter-colonial tonnage partly accounts for the deficiency in arrivals and departures to which we have alluded.

Where the greatest decrease in arrivals and departures lies, is in our coasting trade, including San Juan Island, Barclay Sound, Sooke, the West Coast, and the settlements from here to Fort Rupert. The arrivals of vessels in the coasting trade for the first quarter in 1861, were eight steamers, 1 brig, 64 schooners, 39 sloops, and 3 boats—a total of 115 vessels. For the same period this year, there were 3 steamers, 1 brig, 6 schooners, 4 sloops, and 2 boats, making in all 16 vessels, or 99 arrivals less than there were last year. The departures for the first quarter, 1861, were 10 steamers, 1 bark, 1 brig, 56 schooners, 41 sloops, and 10 boats—total, 119; and for the same period this year there were only 2 steamers, 3 barks, 1 brig, 7 schooners, 11 sloops, and 6 boats—a total of 30 departures, or 89 less than last year. So great a decrease in our coasting trade is chiefly attributable to numerous arrivals from and departures to Race Rocks last year, in order to bring up the cargo of the Nanette, that was wrecked there. Yet that does not fully account for it, though the chief cause. The severity of our past winter, has had much to do with the decrease.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

NOTICE,

MR. JOHN P. COUCH IS THIS DAY admitted a partner in my house, and from this date the business will be conducted under the firm name of G. Vignolo & Co.

G. VIGNOLO.

Victoria, April 10, 1862 ap21 1m

PIN LOST.

ON THURSDAY LAST, IN GOING FROM the corner of Fort and Douglas streets, along Douglas to Johnson street, and thence towards the Springs, a LADY'S EMERALD PIN. A Reward of TEN DOLLARS will be paid on delivery of the same at the office of the BRITISH COLONIST.

ap21 1w

Removal.

KOSHLAND BROS., DEALERS IN

Dry Goods and Clothing,

Have removed to the Fireproof Building,

Cor. Yates and Wharf sts., Victoria

ap21 1m

NOTICE.

The British Columbia and Vancouver Island Mining Company, Limited.

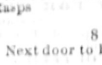
A GENERAL MEETING OF THE B. C. & V. I. M. Co., is ited, will be held at the office of Messrs. Saml. Price & Co., on Wednesday the 23d day of April, at 12 o'clock.

A. R. GREEN,
Secretary.

Victoria, 10th April, 1862. ap21

ATTENTION!

Members Deluge Co. No. 1.



AN ADJOURNED MONTHLY Meeting of your Company will be held this (Monday) evening at 8 o'clock P. M. for the purpose of making the necessary arrangements for the First of May Parade. A punctual attendance is requested.

By Order,
J. L. BUCKLEY,
Secretary.

ap21

Dissolution of Partnership.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT the Partnership lately existing between the undersigned, under the firm of Phillips & Co., in the town of Victoria, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

Alex. Phillips will continue the business, collect all debts due the late firm, as well as pay all just claims up to this date.

A. PHILLIPS.
HENRY HOGAN.

Witness, L. Davies.

Victoria, April 21st, 1862. ap21-1m

Diocesan Church Society of Columbia and Vancouver.

ON SUNDAY, APRIL 27, 1862, SERMONS will be preached in aid of the above object.

At Christ Church—In the morning by the Bishop of Columbia.
Afternoon by the Rev. E. Cridge, B. A.
Evening, by the Archdeacon.

At St. John's—Morning, the Archdeacon.
Evening, the Bishop of Columbia. ap21 1w

NOTICE.

Victoria Gas Company Limited.

PARTIES REQUIRING TO BE SUPPLIED with Gas will please call and leave their names without delay at the Company's office, corner of Yates and Langley streets, so that proper arrangements may be made while the street Mains are being laid.

J. J. SOUTHGATE,
Chairman

ap21

MULES.

JUST RECEIVED, IN FIRST-RATE order.

75 Good Pack Mules.

For sale by
JAMES LOWE.

ap21 1m

For Sale.

A BUILDING ON GOVERNMENT ST., with a long lease.

200 acres of Land in South Saanich

WANTED.—Four or five men to work in a brickyard

ALSO—A man to look after a small ranch.

Apply to
WM. CULVERWELL,
General Agency and Intelligence office, cor. Yates and Langley streets. ap-1 2w

Just Received ex Salamander,

An Invoice of

TINWARE.

Selected expressly for this Market,

AND SUITABLE FOR HOTELS AND private families, consisting of

TEA POTS, Coffee Pots, Tea Kettles, Saucepans, a good selection of Electro-Plated Spoons and Forks, and many other articles for domestic use.

Two Patent Meat Screens,

With Bottle Jacks complete for Roasting

Improved Glenny Watering Pots.

Cash and Till Boxes, and a variety of Tinsmith's Furniture.

ALSO—An Invoice of Spear & Jackson's Files and Rasps

ARTHUR FELLOWS,
8 Commercial Row, Wharf street,
Next door to P. M. Backus' Auction Rooms.

ap21 1m

Victoria Theatre.

Monday and Tuesday, April 21 and 22

RENEWED ATTRACTION!

Amusement Extraordinary!

PROFESSOR BUSHELL

BEING DETERMINED TO KEEP UP the enthusiastic excitement his astounding Performances have created, will on these occasions introduce a novel performance in

Spirit Rapping,

Being a practical expose of the modern climax of all delusions—the most deceptive phenomena of the age. This, together with his usual Experiments in Electricity, Magnetism, and

ELECTRO-BIOLOGY.

Cannot fail to afford an intellectual treat of a marvelous character never before offered to the inhabitants of Victoria.

☞ Admission—Dress Circle, $1; Pit, 50 cts.; Private Boxes, $10.

☞ Box office open from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m., when to prevent disappointment seats may be secured.

Entertainment to commence at 8 o'clock. ap21

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

AUCTION.

THIS DAY,

MONDAY, April 21st, 1862,

At 11 o'clock, A. M.,

J. A. McCREA

WILL SELL

ENGLISH

WAX MATCHES!

Ex Salamander.

9 gross 6 doz, 50, Japan tins,
9 3-4 " 100, "
5 " 150, "
5 " 250, "
— outside—lot.

—ALSO—

Closing Sale!

PREPARATORY TO MOVING,

—OF—

Groceries and Provisions.

All the balances of the above now in store must be closed.

On Thursday, April 24th,

I will close all the

Boots, Shoes and Clothing,

AND ALL FANCY GOODS IN STORE.

On Monday, April 28th, 1862,

I shall open my

New Brick Store

And shall sell on that day the largest lot of

MERCHANDISE

EVER OFFERED IN VICTORIA.

☞ Particulars hereafter. ap21

FORT HOPE REAL ESTATE For Sale.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS RECEIVED instructions to sell some of the best situated property in Fort Hope, viz:

One of the most central Lots for Business, one-half of Lot 1 in Block (2) on the Official Map, with large Store and Outhouses; size of Lot being 80x120.

—ALSO—

Lot 8 in Block 1, with a splendid private Mansion erected thereon, neatly fenced, with a large amount of Fruit Trees planted, and beautifully located for a private dwelling.

—ALSO—

Two Suburban Lots containing about 2 acres well located, and beautiful arable land fit for Nursery or Garden purposes, on which is planted already about 120 Fruit Trees, and all well fenced.

The above property presents a favorable opportunity for investment

For particulars apply to
WM. JEFFRAY,
Real Estate Agent,
Wharf street

ap21 1m

22 Lots at Auction,

(If not previously disposed of privately.)

TOWN OF VICTORIA.

On Wednesday, 7th May,

At 12 o'clock,

MR. JOHN COPLAND

HAS BEEN INSTRUCTED BY MR. FARquhar, to sell by Auction as above, the same being portions of Suburban Lot V, and fronting on PANDORA, VICTORIA, FARQUHAR and ALBERT STREETS, as per Plan now on view at his Rooms, Langley street.

The situation of the Land is unsurpassed, either for public or private edifices, and the terms of payment are such as will enable all to be possessed of a Town Lot, viz: 10 per cent on fall of the hammer, 15 per cent in one month, and the remainder at 6 months with 1 per cent per month interest.

AUCTION ROOM, 35 Langley street.

ap21

Just Received,

EX SALAMANDER,

FROM LONDON.

A fine assortment of

Moderator Lamps!

CHIMNEYS, &c.

CURTIS & MOORE,
DRUGGISTS,
Yates street.

ap18 1m2p

Attention Travelers.

SHORT CUT TO THE DIGGINGS.

BARRY & ADLER'S BRIDGE OVER the South Fork of the Quesnelle River has lately been greatly improved and rendered perfectly safe for travel. The various routes to the mines lead to this bridge, after crossing which a trail runs to Keithley's, Harvey's Williams', Lightning and other rich creeks and mining localities of the Cariboo country.

Superior accommodations for man and beast may be obtained at all the wayside houses

BARRY & ADLER.

Forks of Quesnelle, Jan 30, 1862. ap18 2m

Dissolution of Partnership.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Partnership lately existing between the undersigned, under the firm of Bunster & Mills, in the town of Victoria, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

A. Bunster will continue the business, collect all debts due the late firm, as well as pay all just claims up to this date.

A. BUNSTER.
D. MILLS.

Witness, Edward C. Waddington.

Victoria, April 12, 1862. 1w*

AUCTION SALES.

SALE BY AUCTION

—OF—

HOUSES AND LOTS

—IN—

Desirable Localities in Victoria.

Messrs. Franklin

Are instructed to sell

THIS DAY,

On Monday, the 21st of April,

AT THEIR SALESROOMS, GOVERNMENT ST.,

At 12 o'clock, noon,

The following desirable Town Property, viz:

Valuable First-Class Yates st. Property

Next to the International Hotel. The size of the lot is 20 feet by 128, more or less, forming part of lot 427. There is also a Residence thereon containing five rooms, rented for thirty dollars a month, to be sold separately. Also, a small cottage in the rear. The ground rent receivable from the lot is 26 dollars a month. This lot is well adapted for a first-class business, and has great prospective value.

Corner Lot, Fort st. and Broad st.

The northeast corner of Fort street and Broad street, with the HOUSE thereon, containing 5 rooms and a kitchen. Size of lot, 74 feet by 90 feet. This property is admirably situated on two business streets, is near the harbor, and in the neighborhood of projected improvements.

—ALSO—

House and lot on Johnson st.

The House has five rooms, including kitchen, brick flue. A well of water is attached and the ground is of excellent quality for gardening. Size of lot, 30x129 feet, forming part of Town Lot No. 959.

—ALSO—

Fort street Town Lot, No. 288, running With Town Lot No. 299, to View street. And Town Lot No 298, adjoining, on View street.

—ALSO—

Town Lot 256 Kane street, fenced in

—ALSO—

Town Lots Nos 624 and 625, Herald street

—ALSO—

Lots 763, corner, 764, 765, 766 and 767, Pembroke street, near Douglas street

—ALSO—

Lot No 20, corner of Cormorant and Cook streets; No 16, Cook street, subdivision of 5-acre Lot No XV.

—ALSO—

Corner Lot No 1209, Vancouver and Collinson sts.

—ALSO—

100 acres of Land, near Langford Lake, Esquimalt District.

—ALSO—

Five acres on the Esquimalt Road, near the junction of Skinner's Road. It is fenced, with a small house thereon—cleared and ready for cultivation.

The terms of sale will be liberal, as hereafter announced. Deeds of sale at the purchaser's expense.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

Mr. J. A. McCREA

Is Instructed to sell by Public Auction, on

Monday, April 21st, 1862,

ON THE PREMISES ON QUADRA street, the property of the late William Walls, that new and commodious built House; it contains 6 Rooms with cupboards, etc.

Also all the Furniture, together with the lot of ground 120 by 60 feet. There is an excellent well of water on the premises and a good pump to suit There is also a Hot-house in the Garden which is in good condition and covered with Fruit Trees of various kinds, and other Garden Plants.

(Signed) JAMES M. REID,
Administrator.

Postponed.

The above sale is postponed until

Tuesday, April 22, 1862.

When it will positively take place.

Mr. McCrea will commence the sale at 11 o'clock, a. m., and will sell the Furniture first which consists in part of one very superior English upright Piano, made by the celebrated Stoddard of London, solid Mahogany Bedroom Furniture, Rich Brussels Carpets, Elegant Engravings, French Bedstead Chairs, Tables, Crockery Ware, Mantle Ornaments, Kitchen Utensils, Stove and other articles, together with a few excellent Books, all of which will be sold for cash. The House and Lot, as above described, will be sold immediately after the Furniture.

J. A. McCREA,
Auctioneer.

ap18

BY AUCTION—On May 1st,

Farm in Lake District.

SPRINGBOTTOM FARM, LOCATED in Lake District five miles from Victoria, half a mile from the Head of Victoria Arm. The Farm comprises 44 acres of Bottom Land, about half fenced, together with the Stock, Farming Utensils, &c. The same will be disposed of by auction, on the 1st of May.

WILLIAM PIKE.

ap17 1d-s

SEEDS.

Native and Foreign Garden Seeds.

MEDITERRANEAN SPRING SEED WHEAT.
SEED OATS AND BARLEY,
And a variety of
GRASS SEEDS,
For sale by
DAVID LENEVEU.
Always on hand as usual.
HAY, GRAIN & PRODUCE OF ALL KINDS,
wholesale and Retail,
At the old Stand, No. 17 Johnson Street,
VICTORIA.

mh3 3m 2p

To Let at Esquimalt.

A DWELLING HOUSE BEAUTIFULly situated on the harbor, and known as ESQUIMALT COTTAGE, together with outbuildings, garden, etc.

—ALSO—

FOR SALE—A commodious and well built House at Esquimalt, with the Furniture, and two Lots of Land.

For further particulars apply to
WALTON & BARNETT,
General Agents,
Corner of Yates and Commercial sts.

ap17 1m

AUCTION SALES.

SALE BY AUCTION.

—OF—

Magnificent Furniture,

At the Residence of Dr. Poet.

(In consequence of the family leaving the Colony.)

THIS DAY,

Monday, the 21st April, 1862.

At 11 o'clock, forenoon.

MR. JOHN COPLAND

Has been instructed to sell by Public Auction, On the Premises, situated on Government Street, at the foot of Broughton street,

All the Furniture in the House, consisting of A Superb set of Rosewood Furniture, covered with blue and gold French Brocatelle, made to order by Le Franc, San Francisco, cost about $900. Rich Mahogany set, comprising Side-Board, Sofa, Arm Chairs, Side Tables, Rocking Chairs, &c. Large Acordeon made by Keith, Prowse & Co. London. Gun and Rosewood Case complete, with 2 shot and 2 rifle barrels, made by Deane & Sons, King William street, London (an excellent article); Bedsteads, Bedding, Stove, and a variety of articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS—CASH.

NOTE—The Furniture can be viewed on the morning of the sale.

Celebrated Ladies Saddle Horse "PEACOCK."

Auction Sale.

MONDAY, 21st inst.,

At 12 o'clock,

MR. JOHN COPLAND WILL SELL, the above Horse immediately after the sale of Furniture at Dr. Poets' House Peacock is very gentle and docile, and suitable for either saddle or harness. ap18 1d

Sale by Auction.

Messrs. Franklin

Are instructed to sell by Public Auction, on

FRIDAY, April 25th, 1862,

At 12 o'clock, noon,

AT THEIR SALESROOM, GOVERNMENT ST.,

The following Valuable Property in Victoria, viz:

18 Town Lots in Block C,

As marked on the Official Map of the Town,

Bounded by Store, Discovery, Government and Pembroke sts.,

And comprising

Town Lot 509, on the N. E. corner of Store and Discovery streets;
Lots 510 to 516, on Discovery street;
Lot 517, on the N. W. corner of Discovery and Government sts.;
Lot 518, on the S. W. corner of Government and Pembroke sts.;
Lots 519 to 524 and 526, on Pembroke street, and 527, on the S. E. corner of Store and Pembroke sts.

This property being bounded on two sides by Store and Government streets, both of which are sure to become great thoroughfares and good business streets, must soon enhance greatly in value, now that the Old Bridge is removed; the stream of travel and traffic diverted to that direction; the upper Harbor opened to shipping; and the locality to general commercial business. These Lots are therefore equally desirable as a good investment or for business purposes.

The Terms of Sale will be highly favorable, viz:
10 per cent. to be paid at the time of purchase;
15 per cent. in fourteen days thereafter;
25 per cent. in three months without interest, and the remainder in one year from the day of sale, with one per cent. per month interest.

Deeds at purchaser's expense. ap4

THE FAST SAILING SLOOP

BOZ,

Will Sail for Bute Inlet

On Wednesday Morning, 23d inst.,

OR SOONER, IF POSSIBLE.

THERE IS ROOM ON BOARD FOR SIX passengers at $10 each. They may take 200 pounds of freight each. A party of 4 men awaits the arrival of the Boz at Bute Inlet in order to proceed to Alexandria.

A large Northern canoe will take the party (free) 44 miles up the River; thence on foot 150 miles through an easily traveled country. There will be no difficulty in obtaining Indians to pack at very low rates.

The whole party will be piloted through to Alexandria.

For particulars apply to
WM. JEFFRAY,
Wharf street.

ap19 1d

EX "N. S. PERKINS,"

COMPRESSED

Meats and Vegetables,

Packed in 10-lb Tins, of cases of 100 lbs each,

Expressly for British Columbia Trade.

For sale in quantities to suit, by

EDGAR & AIME,
Wharf street, foot of Yates.

ap2 1mis

GARDEN SEEDS.

JUST RECEIVED BY EXPRESS,

FROM THE

SHAKERS' GARDEN

NEW LEBANON, NEW YORK,

GRASS SEEDS, FRUIT AND FLOWER SEEDS

Of this year's growth.

For sale by
CURTIS & MOORE, Druggists,
Yates street.

ap2 2p

ALBION SALOON,

Cor. Waddington alley and Yates st,

PERRETT & TIGHE, Proprietors

THE BEST OF

Liquors, Ales, Wines & Cigars

dispensed at this house.

HOT LUNCH DAILY.

OYSTERS IN EVERY STYLE

ap16 3d-p1m PERRETT & TIGHE.

THE BRITISH COLONIST

Monday Morning, April 21, 1862.

Later from Fraser River and Cariboo.

The steamer Otter arrived on Saturday last from New Westminster. The news is unimportant. Seton Lake is the only lake on the Harrison-Lillooet route not open to travel. Large numbers of boats and men are pushing on through the cañons to Cariboo. Mr. David, of the firm of Guild, David & Co., reports flour as selling at $40 per 100 lbs. at Lytton City, and $30 per 100 lbs. at Lillooet.

The following letter is from one of the heaviest merchants at Cariboo, who has gone thither to perfect arrangements for the spring trade. The statements made are entirely reliable:

ANTLER CREEK, April 4th, 1862.

EDITOR BRITISH COLONIST.—As I have an opportunity, I will send you a few items by a Siwash Express from this "out of the way" place. I arrived here yesterday, after a trip of twenty-one days duration over the snow, from Whatcom *via* Sumas, Yale, Lytton, and Lillooet, and from there by the river trail to Williams Lake.

Regarding the lower country I will say nothing, as you have later intelligence than I can give.

Above Thompson River less than ten per cent. of the mules have died, and not more than twenty-five per cent. of the horses.

The weather has been severely cold, and much less snow than usual has fallen. I found more snow at Fort Thompson than anywhere between the Thompson and Quesnelle Rivers. There are but four feet here at present, against seven at this time last year. And less than twenty feet have fallen during this season. The ground is frozen to the depth of three feet, with no prospect of a thaw for the present.

Provisions are scarce all along the road, and persons intending to come up here had better wait for the packers, or prepare to go without their suppers on the road. At Quesnelle River provisions are abundant; flour 50c, bacon 75c, and sugar 87½c per pound.

There is a plenty of everything but money, and parties coming up would do well to lay in a good supply, as it will be needed. Credit is played out here. Even a rich claim on Williams Creek does not go down here now as well as it did in Victoria last spring.

Owing to the severity of the weather, mining on the North Fork of Quesnelle will be limited this season. About eighty men are engaged in wing-damming, and but two companies as yet have commenced washing.

On Keithley's Creek, five flumes are completed and about thirty men are at work. A few men could find employment at seven dollars per day.

On Williams Creek between sixty and seventy men are engaged in building houses, sawing lumber and preparing for mining.

Indians are packing from the Forks to this place for twenty-five cents per pound. Mr. McCarty is also freighting with two dog-teams at about the same rate. Thus proving conclusively that goods can be sleighed in winter quite as cheap or cheaper than at any other season of the year.

About fifty men are engaged prospecting on Lightning Creek—with what success I have not learned. To this point the Messrs. Davison Bros., of Fort Yale, are running a train of "Thompson Siwashes," and are able to deliver goods at lower freights than could be done at any time last season on pack animals.

On Williams Creek the Cornish boys are reported to have struck flattering prospects in their tunnel at the head of Steel's claim. They have been at work all winter, and proved the practicability of mining during the winter season.

On Antler Creek some fifteen or twenty men are wintering, but do not expect to get to work for a month yet.

On the whole, prospects are flattering, and next August will prove to the world that Cariboo has *never been excelled if equalled.*

To-morrow I start on a prospecting expedition, so don't be alarmed if you hear of great strikes. The weather is severely cold; my fingers ache while I write. One man froze his feet yesterday while coming from Keithley's Creek, and another came in this morning badly frozen.

Boys coming to this country must bring their winter clothes along.

Yours, in haste, WANDERER.

LILLOOET, April 12th, 1862.

EDITOR BRITISH COLONIST.—I arrived at this place to-day after a journey of eleven days from New Westminster. The steamer in which I took passage was not able to get any further than the 21 mile Ranch, which is about 18 miles below Hope.

The traveling between 21-Mile Ranch and Hope was partly through snow and a part of the way on the ice, which, by the way, is getting very dangerous to travel on. From Hope to Lytton, the traveling was much the same as between Harrison and Hope.

It was my intention to have sent you a prices-current at the different towns; but I find it impossible to make it up from the fact that the prices are regulated by the quantity in market, and also by whom it is held. However, I can give you the opinion of the merchants as to what will be the prices here when navigation is open. They think flour will be about twenty dollars per hundred pounds and every other article in proportion.

Rumors are rife in town of some new diggings having been struck in Cariboo, but in what particular locality I cannot find out. Most of the miners wintering here have left for Cariboo—packing enough provisions with them to last to the forks of Quesnelle River.

I would advise new comers who intend coming up this way not to be in a very great hurry to leave Victoria. Let them before they leave be certain that plenty of provisions are ahead of them, for if there should be a scarcity, the old hands will surely get their wants attended to before the new ones.

A great many animals have perished this winter. The number was impossible to be obtained—the packers themselves differing as to the number.

Yours, etc., NED CAMPBELL.

PROFESSOR BUSHELL'S ENTERTAINMENTS.—Professor Bushell continues to delight crowds of people nightly by his new and startling feats in electrical science and animal magnetism. On Saturday evening some new features were introduced, and two of the subjects were mentally affected in a laughable and astonishing manner. One was made to believe that he was the greatest jig dancer of the age since the death of Mike Mitchell, and the manner in which he pawed around the stage was amusement to the audience and destruction to the carpet. Another, whenever the Professor commanded him not to speak, was unable to articulate a syllable and imagined that he was stricken with the palsy, rheumatism, etc. As the lectures continue they increase in interest, and the Professor, who seems to be in league with old Nick, will introduce to-night—in addition to the usual novelties—spiritual rapping.

FLAGSTAFF.—The Deluge boys are about erecting a fine staff in front of their house from which it is intended a display of bunting shall wave on the occasion of the May-Day parade of the Tiger Engine Company.

SUICIDE AT THE PRISON—WHO'S TO BLAME?—Early yesterday morning "Tom," *alias* Kler-eck, a Cowichan Indian, was found hanging by the neck in his cell, adjoining the debtor's prison, by two cellmates, also Indians. He was immediately cut down, but on examination it was found that he was stone dead, life having evidently been extinct for several hours. The act was effected by tying one end of a woollen comforter to his neck and fastening the other end to the iron wicket of the cell door, and then kneeling down until strangulation ensued. The suicide seemed bent on self-destruction, as the accomplishment of the act required considerable physical exertion on his part. An inquest will be held this morning, at 12 o'clock. The deceased was one of the murderers of Thomas Holmes, and it was upon his evidence that "Charley" was convicted and executed about two months ago for participation in that crime. Ever since the last Assizes "Tom" has been *in* jail, and it was understood that his case would come up at the present term of the Court. But the Grand Jury adjourned without finding a bill, and as "Tom" was minus the wherewithal to fee a lawyer, who could easily have obtained his discharge, he was quite forgotten by everybody. On Saturday he seemed nervous, and asked one of the policemen what the King George men would do with him? "Hang you," was the reply, in a jocular manner; and that same night "Tom," thinking no doubt that he was only anticipating his fate by a few days, ended his existence as already stated. Having been accepted as Queen's evidence on the case of "Charley," "Tom" (although he may have been as deeply dyed in crime as his associate) was unquestionably entitled to a discharge at the last Assizes. The Attorney General, however, signified his intention of trying him at the next term of the Court. The next term of the Court arrived, but nothing was done, and wearied by his long confinement and alarmed at the prospect of dying on the gallows, the poor wretch has at last strangled himself. The whole matter will come before a Coroner's jury to-day, and that body will no doubt place the onus on the right shoulders.

FROM ANTLER CREEK TO VICTORIA IN FIFTEEN DAYS.—The letter from "Wanderer," given in another column, left Antler Creek on the 4th inst. by Siwash Express on snowshoes and reached here on Saturday last, the 19th—only fifteen days from Cariboo, in the very worst season of the year for travelers—over mountains of snow and across fields of ice, with the thermometer at zero for the greater part of the journey. Really the Siwash Express is a great institution—expecially when mounted on snowshoes.

DIOCESAN CHURCH SOCIETY.—It will be seen from an advertisement of this day that the clergy and friends of the Church of England are about to organize a Diocesan Church Society by means of which spiritual and philanthropic objects may be furthered throughout the two colonies. These societies have been found to work great good in other colonies, and as the Bishop of Columbia has determined to throw the Church upon voluntary support, we feel sure that a well organized Church Society will meet with liberal assistance.

THE INSULT TO THE AMERICAN CONSUL.—The miscreants who defaced a portion of the American coat of arms with black paint, have not yet been tracked, notwithstanding the police have used every exertion to discover their hiding-places. We regret to say that suspicion points to three persons who occupy respectable positions in society, as the guilty ones; but as the evidence is only circumstantial, we deem it unfair to hold the suspected parties up to public scorn and censure without the production of some more positive proof.

THE FRENCH LAUNDRY.—We alluded a fortnight ago to the fact that a case of *variuloid* had occurred at the French Laundry. We have much pleasure in being enabled to state, on the authority of the attending physician, that the patient has convalesced, and no danger of contagion need now be apprehended.

THE WOMAN-WHIPPER.—Wm. Rothwell has been arrested and committed to prison for beating his wife and threatening her life. The woman's leg has been set, and she was yesterday quite comfortable. Her love of a husband will be heard to-day in the Police Court.

NEW CISTERNS.—The Chief Engineer of the Fire Department has contracted for the construction of two new public cisterns, one at the corner of Yates and Wharf streets, and the other at the corner of Johnson and Government streets. Mr. A. Reed is the contractor.

THE "NARAMISSIC."—The bark Naramissic, thirteen days from San Francisco, arrived on Saturday with a full freight and 22 passengers. She is consigned to F. J. De St. Oure & Co., at whose wharf she will discharge to-day.

The Yale and Lillooet Routes.

EDITOR BRITISH COLONIST.—The *Press*, in its issue of Sunday, says that fifteen hundred miners have gone through New Westminster this spring and that one thousand of them took the Douglas Lillooet route. I ask where are the thousand miners to-day, and what must be their disappointment and feelings of contempt towards those persons who by false statements induced them to take the Lillooet route?

Mr. David, the gentleman from whom the *Press* received its intelligence went to the Lillooet *via* Yale, Boston Bar and Lytton, intending to return *via* the lakes to Douglas; but the gentleman found the route impassable, and was necessarily compelled to return to Lytton and go down the Fraser to Westminster.

The *Press*, while it advises miners to tarry in Victoria until the routes are open, is also inclined to lead all those whose business or anxiety induces them to start for the upper country to go the Douglas-Lillooet route, notwithstanding that route is still closed.

Had the one thousand miners gone the Fraser River route, many of them would have found employment at mining and wing-damming along the river instead of being locked up between the lakes on the Douglas route, spending the little money reserved by them to pay their way to Cariboo.

In the face of the fact that provisions have been carried to Yale by the steamer, and that scores of small boats are carrying provisions from Harrison river up the Fraser for Hope, Yale, Boston Bar, Lytton, the *Press* would make the public believe that flour is selling at $40 per sack at Lytton, an assertion which they nor no one else will back. Away with such nonsense and misrepresentation! The thing is too absurd to merit contradiction. I will lay a wager that flour is selling to-day cheaper at Lytton than at the Lillooet.

I know it is too soon for miners to start for the Cariboo mines, but many are compelled to be at their claims, if possible, at a certain time, and many of those persons are now detained between the lakes on the Douglas route. X X X.

Auction Sales.

At 11 o'clock this morning, at the residence of Dr. Poet, Mr. Copland will sell a fine lot of household furniture. Also, the horse "Peacok," at salesroom, Langley street.

Messrs. Franklin, at noon to-day, will offer houses and lots in desirable localities in Victoria. Also, 100 acres of land near Langford's Lake.

At 11 o'clock this morning Mr. McCrea will offer wax matches and a general assortment of groceries and provisions, at salesroom, Wharf street.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, V. I.

ARRIVED.

April 19—Stmr Otter, Ehers, New Westminster
Bark Naramissic, Willoughby, San Francisco

CLEARED.

April 19—Sloop Wild Duck, Preston, Port Townsend

PASSENGERS.

Per bark NARAMISSIC, from San Francisco—Henry W Totten, Benjamin Winger, Sanson Smith, John Hilvolls, John Thomas, Ralph Hampton, Wm Smith, Daniel Hill, Harman Roberts—Drovven, Timothy McAuliffe, John Welch, Wm Lace, Henry Gribb, O D Chandler, T H Beals, J F Hoyt.

IMPORTS.

Per bark NARAMISSIC, from San Francisco—J Drummond, 4 bundls fry pans, 1 case mdse, 1 roll zinc, 1 stool; J J Southgate, 3 cases mdse; Felix Lelaire, 10 cases brandy; L Mouter, 4 cases coffee, 4 do olive oil, 18 sks beans, 158 do bran; Tai Song & Co., 20 bxs soap, 2 baskets ginger, 8 bxs Chinese Fingers, 3 bundles matting, 1 bx medicine, 200 mats rice, 24 bxs tea, 50 do; J J Southgate & Co., 5 cases ground pepper, 1 do bl ochre, 1 keg red lead, 3 cases axes; Lenevue & Co., 22 cs red wine; Lon & Co; 25 bags coffee; T Patrick & Co., 25 bags R coffee; L'Hotelier, 400 hf bgs flour, 40 hf sks flour; A Casmayon, 201 hf bgs flour; P Corbinere, 80 hf bgs flour; 1 bbl hams, 3 sks cornmeal, 5 bgs beans, 1 case wax candles, 3 do brooms, 2 do preserves, 1 bl, 2 chests blk tea, 2 pkgs B J Soda, 30 bags coffee; Order, 16 firkins butter; A Casmayou, 5 cases cheese, 100 barrels flour, 10 firkins butter, 100 bbls flour. Lenevue & Eckstein, 202 sks barley, 150 ground do, 25 sks middlings, do bran, 150 do oats; Conro & Co. 3 bls hams, 15 cs lard, 2 do yeast powders 200 sks flour, 12 cs spices, 2 do lobster, 4½ bbls pork, 10 bxs candles; E Marvin, 15 kgs nails, 3 cs shovels, 5 do axes, 1 do tacks, 3 Union scales, 1 platform, 1 hatch, 1 bx of hatchets, 3 cs wheelbarrows, 1 csk chain, 6 bdls crow bars, 4 anvils, 4 bags, 2 ox yokes, 8 coils, 19 bdls fry pans, 3 do iron rakes, 2 do hoes, 1 do hoe handles, 1 bale of leather, 1 cs pick handles, 3 kgs boat nails, 1 bale mining pans, 1 do brass kettles, 1 bdle bake ovens, 1 do rocker irons, 3 cs sledges, 20 bdls iron, 3 do steel, 2 cs mails and washers, 3 bellows, 1 cs saws, 1 ble froes, 3 bdls pails, 4 bdls tubs, 1 porable forge, 1 bx hardware, 1 ble rub belting, 1 do, do, 1 bx hardware, 3 do do, 1 do fore waist, 1 do do, 1 kg shot; Reinhart Bros, 1 ble prints, 25 bsks champagne, 600 hf sks flour, 6 bls paper, 16 cs clothing, 15 nests of trunks, 10 cs yeast, 10 do bitters, 63 pkgs iron, 1 ble duck, 15 brl corn meal, 5 bls gunny sacks, 10 hhds bacon, 20 firks butter, 25 hf brls sugar, 40 bxs raisins, 21 coils of rope, 25 bgs coffee, 25 do do; Dixon, Campbell & Co, 5 hds whiskey, 1 case of worsted jackets, Sporborg & Galdstone, 10 bxs salt, 1 cs cards, 2 cases boots, 1 do mdze, 13 bles duck, 2 do ticks, 1 case prints, 1 pkge; G Vignolo, 35 cs syrup, 2 do bitters, 2 pipes of spirits, 10 cs bitters, 15 do alcohol, 4 bls whiskey, 2 hf do, 10 cs do, 2 brl rum, 1 hf do whiskey; J C Keenan, 1 bl whiskey, 1 cs worsted jackets; Gladwin & Co, 25 bags of coffee, W W Gladwin, 40 cs spices, 25 kgs pickles, 15 bgs meal, 280 sks flour, 20 gs salt, 7 cs shoulders, 27 do bacon, sides, 10 do Billing's Hams, 20 firks butter, 10 cans lard, 9 cans turkey, 5 qr bbls mackerel; Carroll, 37 cs red wine, Pearce & Seymour, 31 pkgs furniture; S Herman, 1 case shawls; Morris Brothers, 1 cs drygoods, 3 do boots, 8 do boots; A Fellows, 2 doz brooms 20 do pails; McCrea, 7 cs clothing; Hud Bay Co., 5 cs coal oil; G Vignolo, 1 cs segars; Carroll, 37 bxs wine; S Herman, 1 cs shawls, 1 bl prints; Order, 45 bbls beef and pork; Langley Bros, 6 pgs drugs; R Crawford, 40 sks barley, 1 cs, 2 bls, dry goods, 1 cs hardware, 10 kgs nails, 63 pgs groceries; Sporborg & Co, 2 cs clothing, ¾ cs kerosene; Martin Bros, 41 cs bread, 2 hhds bacon, 20 cs pepper, 5 cs sardines, 10 cs pickles; St Our's, 20 cs liquors, 200 sks oats, 400 qr sks flour, 257 sks barley, 25 cases bitters; McCrea, 48 nests tubs, 16 pgs furniture, 24 pgs hardware, 100 cs alcahol; Shirpser, 9 cases merchandise, 3 cs blacking, 11 cs merchandise.

Havana Cigars.

EX LATEST ARRIVALS.

LA FLOR DE CABANAS y CARBAJAL, Regalia Imperiales;
LA FLOR DE CABANOS y CARBAJAL, Regalia Londres;
FIGARO, Regalia Britanica;
LA CAOBA, Regalia Britanica;
LA FLOR DE MONTORO, Regalia Espartero;
LA FLOR DE SOLAR, Regalia Espartero;
LA LETTERIA, Regalia Britanica;
LA FLOR DE ROSA GEORGIA, Regalia dritanica,
LA FLOR DE CHRYSOPOLIS, Regalia Espartero;
LA FLOR DE CAPERUSA, Regalia Britanica;
LA MATILDA, Media Regalia,
LOS DOS HIJAS, Regalia Espartero;
EL AGUILA DE RUSIA, Regalia Especial;
LA INGENUIDAD, Regalia Londres;
EL UNIVERSO, Media Regalia;
MANUEL REGNA, Regalia Londres;
EL PRIMOR, Regalia Londres.
Also, a large assortment of

Tobacco Pipes, Playing Cards, Snuff, Matches, Cigarettes, Etc.

For sale in lots to suit at
ap6 1m&dy G. SUTRO & CO.'S Yates street.

MISCELLANEOUS.

TREASURY, 17th April, 1862.

MONDAY AND TUESDAY NEXT, (THE 21ST AND 22ND INST.) being public holidays, all payments falling due at the Treasury on these days may be tendered on Wednesday the 23rd inst.

ALEXANDER WATSON,
ap18 4t Acting Treasurer.

Trade License Act, 1860.

THE COURT OF REVISION WILL SIT FOR the LAST TIME during the present session on Monday next, the 21st instant, from 10 a. m. to 12 o'clock at noon, at the Jury-Room, Police Barracks.

WM. BROOKE NAYLOR,
VICTORIA, 17th April, 1862. Sheriff, V. I.
ap18:3td

Vancouver Island,

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, 17th April, 1862.

MONDAY and TUESDAY, the 21st and 22d instant, will be kept as Holidays, during which the public offices will be closed except for the transaction of indispensable current business.

By order of the Governor.
ap18:td WILLIAM A. G. YOUNG.

Ex W. B. Scranton.

10,000 POUNDS JEWELL & HARRISON'S Bacon.
25 ½-bbls Jewell & Harrison's extra clear Pork.
200 qr sacks Golden Gate Ex. Sup. Flour.

For sale by
ap15 1m PETER McQUADE & CO., Wharf street.

NOTICE.

ALL PARTIES WHO ARE INDEBTED to Mr. S. RINGO, late Hotel keeper of this place, will at once call on the undersigned for the settlement of their Bills, to prevent further expenses.

SIMON REINHART,
ap17 Attorney in fact.

Ballou's Express.

WE HAVE NO FUNDS TO ADVANCE for duties. Permits with the money will be attended to and charges moderate.

W. T. BALLOU,
Custom House Broker.
New Westminster, April 19th, 1862. 1m

Two Hundred Dollars Reward.

THE SUM OF TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS has been deposited at Wells, Fargo & Co's by American citizens, and will be paid to any person who may furnish information that will lead to the discovery of the person or persons who defaced the United States Coat of Arms over the door of the Consul's office in this town

VICTORIA, April 18, 1862. 1w.

NOTICE.

THE PUBLIC ARE HEREBY CAUTIONED against buying any of the Partnership Property in British Columbia or elsewhere, belonging to the firm of NORRIS & CAIN, Antler Creek, Cariboo, without the full consent of

J. G. NORRIS,
Or his Attorney,
MR. M. T. DRAKE.
Victoria, April 1st, 1862. ap18 1mdw

FOR SALE

By the Undersigned:

1 SCHOONER, 67 tons Register.
1 do 41 do
1 do 25 do
1 do 23 do
1 do 18 do
1 do 15 do
1 do 7 do
2 Plungers
2 Whale Boats, and
1 14 feet Jolly Boat.

WANTED TO CHARTER—A vessel of about 100 tons Register. Apply to
J. NAGLE & CO.,
Corner of Commercial and View sts., next to the Police Office. ap18

A. J. BRUNN,

GOVERNMENT STREET

Custom Clothing Store.

NEW GOODS FOR CITY TRADE.

A. J. B. has now the facilities to make up Gentlemen's Fashionable Garments at Reduced Prices, so as to enable everybody to have their garments made to order. A good Assortment of Hats and Caps, and Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods always on hand, at low prices, and the undersigned hopes to have a liberal share of public patronage.

☞ Good Goods, Good Workmenship is the best bargain

A. J. BRUNN,
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For Nanaimo, Direct.

The fast sailing Clipper Schooner

"CAROLENA"

WILL LEAVE UNION WHARF FOR the above port twice a week.

For Freight or Passage apply to Capt. JAMES JONES, on board, or to

R. BRODRICK,
ap20 Union Wharf.

EX SALAMANDER,

From London,

AND OTHER LATE ARRIVALS.

HENRY NATHAN,

KEEPS FOR SALE, IN LOTS TO SUIT,

ENGLISH CAPS—Blue and Black.
BALMORAL CAPS—Various qualities,
BOOTS, Shoes and Slippers,
MUSLINS, Bonnets and Alpacas.
PICTURES, Wax Matches, Plaster Ware,
SUGAR, Raisins, Almes, Figs and Currants,
COATS—Doe, Alpaca, Tweed, Flannel, Petersham, Shooting, Frock, Linen, &c.
SUITS—Doeskin, Tweed, Cheviot and Flannel.
TROWSERS and Vests—of various materials
HATS—Felt, Panama, Leghorn and Oilskin.
CAPS—Boys' and Men's, various kinds.
JACKETS, Comforters and Shirts.
NECKTIES—Black, Mauve and Fancy Silk.
BLANKETS—2½ and 3 point.
PARASOLS, Umbrellas, and Haberdashery.
SILKS and Satins—Black, colored and plain.
SHEETING—Bleached, 6-4 and 8-4.
MUSLINS, Flannels, Bonnets, Skirts and Corsets.
ALPACAS, and Coburgs—Various qualities.
WINE and Beer Corks, Chamois Skins, Tents, Plated Ware, Sheet Lead, White Lead, Lead Pipe, &c.

BRANDY—Pale and Dark, Martell's, and other brands.
WHISKY—Scotch, in case.
ALE—Pts. and Qts., "
GINGER BRANDY, "
LIQUEURS—Eau d'Or, Aoyeau, Parfait Amour, Curacoa, Annisette, Kremmel, &c.
SHERRY—In bulk.
RUM—
BRANDY PEACHES, Cherries, &c., &c.

GROCERIES—Bacon, Flour, Candles—Adamantine and Paraffine, Oysters B. B., Chicken—Kemp's, Turkey, Syrup E. B., Coffee Rio, Oil Plagnol, Can Meats, Lard J. H., Cheese, Lobsters, Green Corn, Tea—Oolong, Tobacco Tie Fruits—American and English, Pickles—Pts. & Qts., Mustard—¼-lb. & 1-lb bots., Sauces, Green Peas—French, Salt—in jars and bags, Corn Starch, Currie Powders—in ¼ lb., ½-lb. and 1-lb bots., Rice, Sugar, Biscuits, Starch, &c. &c.

HENRY NATHAN,
No. 2, Wharf St., opposite H. B. Co.'s wharf.
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JANION & GREEN.

HIBBERT'S ALE AND PORTER.—Just received direct from Messrs. E. & G. Hibbert, a shipment of their celebrated Beer, in quarts and pints, and for sale by
mh19 1m JANION & GREEN.

DRIED VEGETABLES.—On hand and for sale a few cases of Superior Dried Vegetables. From their extreme portability, these are very desirable for conveyance to the Mines, a small case weighing about 100 lbs only containing nearly 1800 rations. They sold for a very high price in Cariboo last year. For sale by
mh19 1m JANION & GREEN.

COFFEE—COFFEE.—Just received, about 600 lbs. of Sandwich Island Coffee, of superior quality, and for sale by
mh19 1m JANION & GREEN.

SUGAR.—Received by late arrivals assorted qualities Sugars, in mats and kegs, and for sale by
mh19 JANION & GREEN.

MOLASSES AND SYRUP.—On hand a large stock of Molasses and Syrup of extra quality, which will be sold at a low price by
mh19 JANION & GREEN.

BURTON AND YORKSHIRE ALE IN Hhds.—From the celebrated Brewery of Kirkstall and Burton-on-Trent.
For sale by
mh19 JANION & GREEN.

TIN PLATE.—Assorted brands For sale by
mh19 JANION & GREEN

CHAMPAGNE.—Auguste de Burie. The undersigned, sole agents for this superior brand, have just received from France a small shipment, which they offer for sale
mh19 JANION & GREEN.

HEIDSICK CHAMPAGNE.—Just received from France, a shipment of Piper & Co's superior Wine, and for sale by
mh19 JANION & GREEN.

BLANKETS! BLANKETS! BLANKETS received by late arrivals a large assortment of Blankets, consisting in part of 2½ points, White, Scarlet and Blue;
3 points, White, Scarlet and Blue.
To arrive—
4 point Blankets, all colors. For sale by
mh19 JANION & GREEN.

CARPETS AND HEARTH RUGS.—A large assortment just received and for sale by
mh19 JANION & GREEN.

CORD, MOLESKIN AND FANCY TROUSERS;
MONKEY JACKETS, assorted qualities;
COTTON AND SILK UMBRELLAS;
MERINO and LAMBS' WOOL SHIRTS AND DRAWERS;
WOOLEN SHAWLS;
WOOLEN HOSIERY and GLOVES;
WHITE AND COLORED COUNTERPANES;
TWEED SUITS, Silk and Cotton Handkerchiefs.
REGATTA SHIRTS;
WHITE DAMASK TABLE CLOTHS and Napkins;
COLORED TABLE COVERS. For sale
mh19 JANION & GREEN.

COPPER SHEATHING;
BRAZIER'S COPPER;
GALVANIZED SHEET IRON;
SHUTTER IRON & BOILER PLATES
TIN PLATE, assorted brands;
BANCA TIN, in Slabs;
Iron Saucepans and Tea Kettles;
Enamelled Iron Saucepans and Stewpans;
For sale by
mh19 JANION & GREEN.

PLATED WARE.—Just received, a small Invoice of superior Plated Ware from the Portland Company. For sale by
mh19 JANION & GREEN.

PICKLES.—Superior London Pickles, assorted brands, in quarts and pints;
PIE FRUITS—200 cases assorted brands;
JAMS—In 1-lb tins and 2-lb tins;
MARMALADE—Do. do.;
ARROWROOT—Fine West India, in tins;
PEARL BARLEY—Of superior quality, in tins;
TAPIOCA AND SAGO—Of extra quality, in glass;
MUSTARD—Best Durham, in 4-lb and 7-lb tins; Do do. in glass;
OLIVE OIL—Finest Florence Oil, in pints and half pints;
DRIED HERBS—In bottles;
ASSORTED SAUCES—In pints and hf pints;
SARDINES—Of superior quality, in qr boxes.
For sale by
mh19 JANION & GREEN.

WINES AND SPIRITS,

BY LATE ARRIVALS.

RUM—Jamaica, in hhds, qr casks and octaves, high proof;
GENEVA—In hhds, qr casks and cases;
BRANDY—In qr casks and cases;
SCOTCH WHISKY—In qr casks and cases;
OLD TOM—In hhds, qr casks and cases;
SHERRY—Assorted qualities, in wood and glass
PORT WINE—Do. do. do. do.
CHAMPAGNE—A large assortment of various brands;
SPARKLING HOCK AND MOSELLE.
For sale by
ap19 1m JANION & GREEN

NOTICE.

ESQUIMALT WHARF.

FROM THIS DATE RATES OF WHARFAGE will be as follows:

Ocean Steamers, $25.
Inward and Outward Freight 50 cents per ton.
Ditto, when received or delivered over Steamers sides by lighters 50 cents per ton.
Drays and Conveyance, rates as before, and in all cases payable at the entrance before proceeding on to the Wharf.

WM. SELLACK,
ap1 Proprietor.

Great Reduction in Freight & Passage

ON THE

DOUGLAS ROUTE.

THE STEAMER FLYING DUTCHMAN, connecting with the steamer UNION at Harrison River, will in future take freight to Fort Douglas at $6 per ton, and

Passengers at $1 Each.

THROUGH TICKETS TO LILLOOET, giving passages on each of the Upper Lakes, for $4.
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HAY.—Timothy HAY.

A SUPERIOR LOT FOR SALE BY
J. W. WAITT,
ap17 1w* Yates street, above Government.

FOR SALE.

PACKERS AND MINERS, ATTENTION

30 WELL BROKE MULES FOR SALE. Pack-work or Saddle. For particulars enquire at BOWMAN & HALSEY'S Livery Stable.
ap15 1w

MISCELLANEOUS.

ENGLISH Patent Medicines!

EX "PRINCESS ROYAL,"

Have Just been Received

—BY—

LANGLEY BRO'S

VIZ:

COCKLE'S ANTI-BILIOUS PILLS;

CHING'S CELEBRATED WORM LOZENGES,

KEATING'S COUGH LOZENGES,

ATKINSON'S INFANT'S PRESERVATIVE,

MURRAY'S FLUID MAGNESIA,

DINNEFORD'S FLUID MAGNESIA

Also, a large supply of

Genuine Low's Brown Windsor Soap

ap14 1m

Ex "Salamander."

OILMENS' STORES,
WOODEN PIPES,
PEWTER POTS,
PAPER HANGINGS,
HATS AND CAPS,
CHOICE FURNITURE,
BLANKETS—2½ and 3-points,
PALE SHERRY—"Onio de Pasto,"
CLARET, } Very Choice.
CHAMPAGNE, }
RUM—in puncheons,
HENNESSY BRANDY, }
U. V. BRANDY, } in 1 doz cases
MARTELL BRANDY, }
ORANGE BITTERS—Swaine, Boord & Co.
GREEN CASE GIN—de Kuyper's
JUNIPER CORDIAL,
GLASSWARE—an assorted invoice
GAS FITTINGS in great variety.

HENDERSON & BURNABY,
ap10 Wharf street, Victoria.

THE VICTORIA Coal and Lumber Co.,

CITY WHARF,

Have now on hand a large stock of the

BEST QUALITY NANAIMO COALS,

SCREENED, FREE FROM DUST.

And of any size desired, which we continue to at the same price as we established last summer,

$10 PER TON. $5 PER HAL TON.

DELIVERED IN ANY PART OF THE TOWN,

FREE of DRAYAGE and PORTAGE

OFFICE ON THE WHARF,

CITY WHARF, FOOT OF YATES ST.

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In the Supreme Court of Civil Justice.

IN BANKRUPTCY, Wednesday, the 2nd day of April, A. D., 1862

WHEREAS A PETITION FOR ADJUDICATION of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 26th day of March, A. D., 1862, has been duly filed by John Thomas Little, of Wharf street Victoria, Merchant, and he having been declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to David Cameron, Esq., Her Majesty's Chief Justice of the Court of Bankruptcy, on Wednesday, the 23d day of April, instant, at eleven in the forenoon, precisely, at the Court House, Victoria, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts and at the first sitting to choose assignees and commence the examination of the Bankrupt. All persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. William Culverwell of No 2 Yates street, the official Assignee whom the Chief Justice has appointed, and give notice to Mr. M. W. Tyrwhit Drake, Solicitor, No. 63 Government street, Victoria. ap11

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF CIVIL JUSTICE.

IN BANKRUPTCY, Wednesday, the 2nd day of April, 1862.

WHEREAS, A PETITION for Adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 2nd day of April, A. D., 1862, has been duly filed by George Elmes Nias, of Victoria, lately printer and newspaper publisher, and he having been declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to David Cameron, Esq., Her Majesty's Chief Justice of the Court of Bankruptcy, on Wednesday, the 23d day of April, instant, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, precisely, at the Court House, Victoria, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees and commence the examination of the Bankrupt. All persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his effects are not to pay, or deliver the same, but to Mr. William Culverwell, of No 2 Yates street, the Official Assignee whom the Chief Justice has appointed and give notice to Mr George Edgar Dennes, Solicitor, Government steet, Victoria. ap12 td

Ex W. B. SCRANTON.

Bale No. 1 China Sugar,
Mats China Rice,
Chests Tea,
Boxes Pale Soap,
Isthmus Butter,
Bbls Mess Pork,
Half bbls Extra Clean Pork,
Cases H. & Co. Roast Beef,
" Hamblen, Baker & Co's Oysters,
" J. & H. Laird,
" Pie Fruits,

For sale by

A. P. EVERETT,
ap10 tf No 10, Wharf street.

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Commission Merchants,

Importers and Dealers in all kinds of

CHINESE GOODS,

Rice, Sugar, Tea, Provisions, etc., etc.,

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JANION & GREEN,
Victoria, August, 1860. 1a21 6m

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THE GREAT ORIGINAL CHEAP JOHN begs to announce to his friends and the public that he has received a large and elegant stock of

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In his line, ex late arrivals, whibh he offers for sal

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Auction Every Evening,

—WHEN—

GOODS ARE FAIRLY GIVEN AWAY.

BOOTS.
SHOES,
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Cheaper than any other house in town.

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in the lower story of

British Colonist Fire-Proof Building,

Two doors South of the Post Office, Victoria, V. I.,

Is now prepared to offer the largest assortment of Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods ever exhibited in Victoria, consisting of Messrs. Davis & Jones' Patent Shirts, (of New York), and L. Atkinson's Improved Shoulder Seam Patent Shirts, (of Philadelphia)

Just received, the latest styles of

BALTIC SHIRTS,

from London. Also, a fine lot of pure Baltic Stockings and Hose, Gents Shaker Flannel Undershirts and Drawers Also, a fine lot of Derby and Saxony

Wool Shirts and Drawers,

White and Colored Marseilles Shirts, a full assortment Gents Superfine Manchester Gingham Shirts, a magnificent assortment of

GENTS SILK SCARFS,

a new style of Gents Fine Cassimere Comforters and Opera Scarfs, the latest styles of Davis & Jones' celebrated superfine patent

White and Colored Shirts,

and is also receiving by every Steamer those beautiful

BYRON SHIRTS,

of all sizes, varying from 13 to 20 inches around the neck. Ladies should call and examine those

Baltic Stockings,

for winter wear. Orders sent through Express for Shirts, by sending the size of the neck, I will guarantee to fit. Orders filled for all parts of

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I shall receive fresh Goods by every arrival from London. Ladies' and Gentlemen's Kid Gloves, ex Grecian A fine lot of

GENTLEMEN'S GLOVES,

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—ALSO—

a fine lot of Ladies' and Gentlemen's Silk Umbrellas, high finish The Gloves consist of some 75 dozen pairs, of various kinds The Crimean Blue Over shirts, weighing two and a half pounds, with double backs We study to please. Business hours, from 6 A. M., to 10 P. M. 1e28 6md&w

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WALTON & BARNETT.

Contractors in British Columbia, as well as othe parties in both Colonies, requiring Help (male or fe male,) can be promptly supplied on applying to

WALTON & BARNETT.
Corner of Yates and Commercial streets.
mh24 1m

To All whom it may Concern.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I, Michael Martin have this day sold all my right, title and interest in the business known as Martin & DeYoung's Billiard Saloon and Liquor Store, Yale, to Richard Willoughby.

All debts due the firm of Martin & DeYoung, up to the date of this notice, will be received by the undersigned or by r DeYoung.

MICHAEL MARTIN.

Yale, April 3, 1862.

EXCHANGE BILLIARD SALOON,

YALE, B. C.

CO-PARTNERSHIP.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE THIS DAY entered into co-partnership in the Liquor and Billiard Saloon business, under the name and firm of DeYoung & Willoughby.

ELIAS DeYOUNG,
RICHARD WILLOUGHBY.

Yale, April 3d, 1862.

In reference to the above, DeYoung & Willoughby promise the old and valued patrons of the house that they will do all in their power to sustain the good name attached to it.

The usual large and varied stock of

WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS

will be kept on hand. ap10

SAN FRANCISCO

Hair Dressing Saloon

Government Street,

Next door to Selim Franklin & Co.,

VICTORIA, V. I.

☞ Particular attention paid to cutting Ladies' and Children's Hair.

THOS. GEIGER,
Formerly of the Orleans Hotel, Sacramento.
CHAS. HEGELE,
Formerly of the Washington Baths, San Francisco.
ap11 1m

Ex W. B. SCRANTON.

ALE—Bass' No. 3, in hhds
Burton Brewery Co., hhds
" " ½ bbls.

For sale by

ap9 1m DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO.

HOTELS AND SALOONS.

COLUMBIA HOTEL,

Columbia st., near Lytton Square,

NEW WESTMINSTER.

Board by the Week.....$ 8 00
Board and Lodging per Week..... 11 00
" " per Day..... 2 00
Single Meals..... 75

Superior Accommodations for Travelers.

H. BURR, Proprietor.
New Westminster, B. C., March 15, 1862.
ap17 1m

GERMAN

COFFEE SALOON,

YATES STREET,

Opposite Hibben & Carswell's, Victoria, V. I.

AT THIS NEW SALOON MAY BE obtained a choice assortment of CAKE AND PASTRY of every description, constantly on hand or made to order for Families, Balls, Weddings or Parties.

OYSTERS SERVED UP

—IN—

EVERY STYLE,

Coffee, Tea, Chocolate, up till 12 o'clock at night

☞ Attached to the Saloon are Private Rooms for Ladies, well furnished and fitted up.

ap15 1m D. JACOBI, Proprietor.

JAMES WILCOX,

PROPRIETOR OF THE

Royal Hotel,

WHARF STREET, VICTORIA, V. I.,

WISHES TO INFORM THE TRAVELling public that he has superior accommodations for them. Guests entertained at the following rates.

Board, by the Week.....$6 00
Board and Lodging Do..... 8 00
" per Day..... 1 00
Lodging, per Night..... 50

The Bar is furnished with Wines, Spirits, Malt Liquors, Cigars &c., all of the best quality.

N. B The Building is fire-proof. ap15 3m

COLONIAL HOTEL & RESTAURANT

VICTORIA.

DRIARD..... RESTAURATEUR.

THIS ESTABLISHMENT, NEWLY Refitted, offers to the public and travelers all the necessary comfort of a first-class hotel. A French barber and hair-dresser is attached to the house and furnishes baths.

Riding horses and buggies are to be found in the rear of the hotel.

On the arrival of the Steamers, Messrs. Bowman & Co. will convey passengers to the above establishment, and take special charge of their baggage

☞ Private Dining Rooms for Families.

☞ Private Entrance to Hotel and Restaurant on Yates street.

ap3 1m

INTERNATIONAL

HOTEL,

Board and Lodging House,

(LATE J. HEAL'S,)

YATES STREET,

VICTORIA, V. I.

T. CHADWICK.....Proprietor.

Board per Week.....$6 00
Board and Lodging per Week..... 8 00
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LODGING HOUSE

YATES STREET,

OPPOSITE WELLS, FARGO & CO.'S.

MRS. IMMEL,

HAVING GREATLY ENLARGED and fitted up and furnished in first rate style the above Lodging House, is now prepared to accommodate

One Hundred Persons.

LADIES' AND GENTLEMEN'S PARLORS

Rooms per Week.....from $2 to $7.
Lodgings per Night.....from 50 cts to $1.

Families Accommodated in the best Style

mh11 6m

MR. COPLAND

HAS FOR SALE THE LEASE AND Furniture of a

FIRST RATE HOTEL,

House and Lot on Fort street,

LOTS ON YATES AND VIEW STREETS,

House and Lot on Johnson street,

FARM AT METCHOSIN,

LAND IN VICTORIA & ESQUIMALT DISTRICTS.

&c. &c. &c.

Apply at LAND OFFICE,

mh22 1m 36 Langley street.

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MARTIN BROS.,

WHOLESALE GROCERS

—AND—

PROVISION DEALERS,

FIREPROOF STORE, ROYAL HOTEL BUILDING

Wharf street, Victoria, V. I.

ARE CONSTANTLY IN RECEIPT OF Groceries and Provisions, which they offer for sale at low rates.

FOR SALE—200 doz. Fancy German Pipes.

☞ Orders from the country promptly filled.

fe14 6m

NOW LANDING

Ex W. B. SCRANTON,

TEAS—100 chests Superior Oolong and Souchong, in ¼ and ½-lb papers.
HAMS—25 bbls Billings' Sugar cured.
CHEESE—6 cases best English Cheddar.

For sale by

ap9 1m DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO.

Quicksilver, Quicksilver,

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING BEEN appointed Agents for the new Idria Quicksilver Mine, California, offer for sale Quicksilver of the best quality from the above named mine, in quantities to suit, at San Francisco MARKET RATES

J. J. SOUTHGATE & CO.,
mh9 2m Wharf street.

J. NAGLE & CO.

HAVE REMOVED TO THE CORNER of Commercial and View streets, near the Post Office.

Vessels for Sale, Freight and Charter, constantly on hand. ap4 1m

NOTICES.

TO LET.

DWELLING HOUSES AND STORES to let in various parts of the Town.

Apply to

JOHN J. COCHRANE,
Land Agent,
ap15 1m Goverament street.

LOST.

ON LAST SATURDAY WEEK A ROAN Mare, with a wolf's bite on her right or left flank. Any person giving information that will lead to her recovery or bring her to the undersigned will be liberally rewarded.

P. BUCKLEY,
ap11 1w Johnson street.

Removal.

G. VIGNOLO HAS REMOVED FROM the corner of Yates and Wharf streets to Capt. REID'S NEW BRICK STORE, on Wharf street.

ap14 1m

CONSULATE OF THE UNITED STATES.
Victoria, V. I., April 14th, 1862

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN OF THE opening of an United States Consuls Office in this City, and that the undersigned enters upon its duties from this date.

☞ Office in the room lately occupied by the Harbor Master.

ap14 ALLEN FRANCIS.

Victoria Gas Co., Limited.

NOTICE A FOURTH AND LAST CALL of Twenty-five per cent. upon the Capital of the Company was resolved and made this day (7th April, 1862) and must be paid on or before the 28th inst., at the office of the Company, situate at the corner of Yates and Langley streets

By order of the Directors,

A. F. MAIN,
Secretary
Victoria, 7th April, 1862. ap8 1d

NOTICE.

ALL THOSE PERSONS INDEBTED to Mr JAMES BELL, Hardware Merchant, Fort street, are requested to call and settle, and those having claims against him will please present them to

ALEX. MACKENZIE,
mh27 1m Agent.

E. STAMP & CO.,

OFFER FOR SALE

The Following Goods:

And being the sole Agents in Vancouver Island of the Manufacturers of nearly all of them, they guarantee at once their quality and genuineness.

ALE AND PORTER.

BYASS', HIBBERT'S, BASS' (bottled especially for this market) and ALLSOPP'S ALE, (bottled by Friend,) in cases, quarts and pints.

HIBBERT'S, BYASS' and BARCLAY'S (bottled by Friend) STOUT PORTER, in cases, quarts and pints.

—ALSO—

BASS' and ALLSOPP'S NO. 3 ALE, in hhds and bbls.

WINES.

SUPERIOR PORT, Vintage of 1858, in qr casks.
SHERRY, CLARET (Chateau la Rose).
PORT and CHAMPAGNE, in cases.

SPIRITS.

SHEED'S FINEST OLD SCOTCH WHISKY, in cases.
BRANDIES, Otard's and Mounier's, in case.
OLD TOM, Swaine & Boord's, in case,
DEMERARA RUM, 30 over proof, in packages to suit.

MISCELLANEOUS.

GROUND WHITELEAD, Crease's best London, 20 and 40-lb tins.
ENGLISH YELLOW SOAP, (Thornton's) 18-lb boxes.
BLASTING POWDER, Glazed and Black.
SPORTING POWDER, in 1-lb and ½-lb tins.
MUSKETS, (Flintlock)
SLATES, Duchesses'.
CANVAS, best Navy boiled, No. 3 to 7.
THREADS, Flax Sewing and Repairing
PLATED WARE.
DOGFISH and POLAR OIL.
ROPE, European, 2¼ to 5 inches.
Blankets, Roofing, Tin. &c., &c., &c

mh22 1m

BATHS! BATHS!



DR. WM. H. GOSS

HAS OPENED HIS BATHING Establishment on the corner of Douglas and View streets, where he is now prepared to accommodate all who may favor him with their patronage with baths of every description—

HOT OR COLD WATER,

Medicated, Vapor and Sulphur Baths,

His Bathing Rooms are fitted up with especial refinement, to accommodate ladies and gentlemen.

Dr. Goss would also beg leave to inform the suffering in general that they may find him with increased facilities and ever ready to treat diseases of every nature on the reform principle of medicine—

MINERALS NEVER BEING USED.

Baths given from 7 a. m. till 8 p. m. Sundays from 7 till 11 a. m.

Price of water baths, 50 cents; medicated, vapor, sulphur, $1 00. ap8 1m

GLADWIN, TARBELL & CO.,

IMPORTERS, COMMISSION MERCHANTS

AND

WHOLESALE DEALERS IN

Groceries and Provisions,

Wharf street,

New Brick Building, opposite H. B. C. Wharf.

VICTORIA, V. I.

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Ex "SALAMANDER."

SHERRY—in case and bulk—superior
PORT " " "
ORANGE BITTERS—in 1 dozen cases
CURACOA " "
NOYAU " "
GENEVA " "
CHAMPAGNE—50 cases Jacquesson et Fils
BURGUNDY—60 cases, Mercury, Nuite, Santenay, Chambertin &c
BRANDY—in 1 dozen cases—Hennessy's
ALE AND PORTER—100 casks Morice Cox & Co's.

For sale by

DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO.,
ap8 Wharf street.

H. O. TIEDEMANN,

Civil Engineer and Architect,

Having left the Land Office, is now prepared to make

Surveys in Town and Country.

Also, Plans of Buildings, etc., etc., on the shortest notice. Address for the present,

OFFICE OF L. LOWENBERG,
ap4 Government street.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

Public Notice.

THE UNDERMENTIONED LANDS are for the present Reserved:

I. Around the junction of the Quesnelle and Fraser Rivers, extending for a distance of two miles above and two miles below the said junction and to a distance of half a mile back from the banks of the River Fraser.

II. Around the junction of the "Swift" and Fraser Rivers, from a point half a mile below the junction to the spot known as the Rapids or Canon, about two miles above the junction. Reservation to extend half a mile back from the Banks of the Fraser River.

III. Around the junction of the West or Black River and the Fraser, extending a mile each way from the junction.

IV. Around the upper end of North Bentinck Arm and extending down the same on each side to a distance of three miles and a mile back from the Shore line.

V. Around the upper end of Deans Canal, extending from points on both sides, each being three miles below where the River falls into the same, to a point about three miles up the River, and extending to a mile back on each side of the banks of the River and of the said Canal.

Due notice will be given on any withdrawal of any part of the above reservations.

By order of the Governor.

R. C. MOODY,
mh27 Col. R. E. C. C. of L. W.

Public Notice.

FOR THE PRESENT IS RESERVED the Land comprising the Flat around the upper end of Bute Inlet and extending up the Valley to a distance of about three miles measured on the windings of the Homathco or Pryce River

An indication of what is comprised in the above description may be seen on a sketch open for inspection at the Land and Works Office, New Westminster, and Colonial Secretary's office, Victoria, V. I. Due notice will be given on any withdrawal of any part of the above reservations.

By order of the Governor.

R. C. MOODY,
mh27 Col R. E. C. C. L. W.

HARDWARE.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING TAKEN the New Brick Store No 7 Commercial Row, Wharf street, are now receiving a large and well assorted Stock of English and American Hardware, which they are prepared to sell at the very lowest rates, for cash, and from the facilities they possess in purchasing Goods direct from the Manufacturers, they are confident that they can offer such inducements as will prove highly satisfactory to the Town and Country Trade. Their Stock comprises—

Agricultural Implements,

BAR IRON AND NAILS,

BLACKSMITHS' TOOLS.

BRASSWARE—A carefully assorted Invoice, consisting of Window Furniture of every description Door Handles, Cupboard Knobs, Bolts, Hinges, Shutter Screws, Sash Fasteners, Hat and Coat Hooks, Buttons, Nails, Hooks, etc.

Spear & Jackson's Files, of every description.

CARPENTER'S TOOLS,

CUTLERY,

Painted Pails and Tubs, cedar and painted,
Wrapping Paper, Brooms, Twine,
Brushes of all descriptions,
Rope of all sizes.

They also call the attention of up country Traders and Miners to their well assorted Stock of Mining Implements.

ARTHUR FELLOWS & CO.,
ap2 1m 7 Commercial Row, Wharf street.

Notice to the Public.

SAINSEVAIN'S WINE BITTERS; OR California Vermouth.—These Bitters are obtaining a wide-spread celebrity in all parts of the State. It is sufficient evidence of their great merit to observe the large quantities shipped by our principal Wine Merchants to every part of the country

Sainsevain, however, like all other manufacturers of new and valuable articles, has to contend with unscrupulous parties, who are introducing a spurious mixture purporting to be his Wine Bitters, which noxious compounds are put up in the same style of bottles, labels, etc, so as to pass for the Sainsevain brand. We call attention to this fact so that our citizens may be upon their guard, and that when they ask for Sainsevain's Bitters, see that they get them. As pure Wine is destined to drive from use all alcoholic decoctions, so these Bitters will soon take the place of the adulterated preparations which now flood our market Those desiring a pure and agreeable tonic should try Sainsevain's Wine Bitters or California Vermouth.

We have appointed W. H. OLIVER, of Victoria, V. I., to be our Sole Agent for the British Possessions.

SAINSEVAIN BROS.,
mh21 3m San Francisco, Cal.

WEBSTER & CO.,

WHOLESALE & RETAIL

Boot and Shoe Dealers,

YATES STREET, VICTORIA,

ARE NOW OPENING A SELECT STOCK of new and choice goods, and have constantly on hand and are receiving by every arrival from San Francisco and every sailing vessel from England a full assortment of Ladies' Gentlemen's and Children's Boots, Shoes and Gaiters,

Also, a full assortment of

Shoe Findings and Saddlers' Leather

Of every description. mh1 2m

LIVERPOOL AND LONDON

Fire and Life Insurance Company

ESTABLISHED 1836.

Cash Capital and Reserved Fund $6,000,000

W. B. JOHNSON, Esq., Agent for San Francisco.

THE UNDERSIGNED IS AUTHORised to receive applications for Insurance in Victoria on first class Buildings and merchandise stored therein; and will also insure detached frame residences in the suburbs, and furniture in same.

FRED. GREEN,
ap2-1m Wharf street

ED. LOWENBERG.

REAL ESTATE AGENT,

East side of Government st., bet. Yates & Johnson.

WILL PAY PARTICULAR ATTENTION TO selling, purchasing, and leasing property, to negotiating loans, and transacting everything connected with Real Estate business.

Maps of all the different Districts on the Island may be seen at his office. Parties desirous of purchasing Homesteads, or making investments, will find on my Bulletin Board Town Lots on nearly every street; farming or Gardening Land in every District; some of which afford a rare chance for investment.

Conveyances, leases, &c., drawn up at reasonable rates. mh22 tf

PRIVATE BOARD

With or without Lodgings.

A FEW BOARDERS CAN FIND SUperior accommodations at reasonable rates, on Yates street, next door to the British American Hotel. Well Furnished Rooms also obtainable on moderate terms

MRS. GRABLE.
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DR. CLERJON,

FROM PARIS,

Physician, Surgeon and Accoucheur,

Government street, between Yates and Johnson, in the Yard opposite Washington Restaurant.

☞ Treatment of all Diseases without Mercury.

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"Bankruptcy Act, 1862"

FOR SALE AT

HIBBEN & CARSWELL'S

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THE BRITISH COLONIST, PRINTED and Published by Amor DeCosmos, Government street, near the Post Office, Victoria, V. I., Monday morning, April 21, 1862.

DAILY BRITISH COLONIST---SUPPLEMENT.

VICTORIA, V. I., MONDAY, APRIL 21, 1862.

FRENCH SWINDLERS—A BOGUS GOVERNOR OF CALIFORNIA.—The Correctional Tribunal of Poiters, says Galignany, two days since tried three men named Royet, Chovet, and Mercier, on a charge of swindling; and also by default, three others, named Leboul, Rousset and Boitel, who are still at large, on various charges of swindling and robbery. These six men have for some time past been in the habit of frequenting fairs and other places where people receive money, and have robbed several persons of large sums by means of the old trick, called "vol a l'Americaine." Young soldiers were their favorite prey, and on the 2d of July last, at Angers, they managed to dupe three of them out of 1000 francs each. One of the young men deposed in Court that he had just received 1000 francs as a substitute, when he met one of the prisoners, who entered into conversation with him. The witness was imprudent enough to say that his business at Angers was to receive his money as a substitute, on which the other declared that he himself had come to Angers with his son for the same purpose. While they were talking, a well dressed individual (another of the prisoners), who pretended to be a foreigner, accosted them, and offered them 20 francs to show him all the curiosities of the place. This man showed them several rouleaux, apparently of gold coins, and said that he was the Governor of California traveling in France for pleasure, and would give each of them 6000 francs if they would take him to some quiet public house, where he could effect his intention without molestation; but as it was uncertain what sort of characters they might encounter there, he thought it would be more prudent to hide his money first, and they could fetch it afterwards. Several of the rouleaux were accordingly buried in a ditch, and the upshot of the matter was, that the young man was soon after induced to leave his 1000 francs with them as security, while he went to fetch the money. He found the hole empty, however, and when he returned to the house his two new acquaintances and the 1000 francs were gone together. Several other similar cases were proved against the prisoners, and the tribunal condemned Royet and Chevot to ten years' imprisonment, and Mercier, Leboul, Rousset, and Boitel, to five years of the same punishment; all of them to ten years' surveillance of the police and interdiction of civil rights, also to 100 francs and all the costs.

☞ The Prince Consort having expired on Saturday, the following paragraph copied from a periodical published in 1848, may not be uninteresting:—"It is very singular that so many our Sovereigns in succession have died on Saturday. It would almost seem as though the Revolution had set the example—the Throne having been declared vacant on Saturday, Feb 16, 1688. William III. died on Saturday, March 8, 1702; Queen Anne died on Saturday, August 1, 1714; George I. at two o'clock on Sunday morning, June 11, 1727 (which in common parlance is called Saturday night;) George II. died on Saturday, October 25, 1760; George III. died on Saturday, January 19, 1820; George IV. on Saturday, June 6, 1830."

☞ A party engaged in the excellent exercise of rolling ten-pins, were astonished to hear a gentleman envy the possession of such a wife as Mrs. R., who had just made two ten-strikes; declaring that a wife who could make such rolls ought to be great on plain bread.

☞ One of the beauties of the court of Prussia said to the king:

"Sire, how is it that you, who are so glorious already, still seek for new fame?"

"Madame," he replied, "for the same reason that you, although so beautiful, still wear rouge."

EXCUSE FOR SMOKING.—In one of our neighboring towns the lads of a school acquired the habit of smoking, and resorted to the most ingenious methods to conceal the vice from the master. In this they were successful, until one evening, when the master caught them at it, and stood behind them in awful dignity.

"How now?" shouted the master to the first lad, "how dare you be smoking tobacco?"

"Sir," said the boy, "I am subject to headaches, and a pipe takes off the pain."

"And you? and you? and you?" said the pedagogue, questioning every boy in his turn.

One had a "raging tooth," another "cholic," the third "a cough;" in short they all had something.

"Now, sirrah," bellowed the master to the last boy, "what disorder do *you* smoke for?"

Alas! all the excuses were exhausted; but the interrogated urchin, putting down his pipe after a farewell whiff, and looking up in his master's face, said in a whining, hypocritical tone—

"*Sir, I smoke for corns!*"

The master looked at him for a moment in silence, and then walked home.—*American Paper.*

TRACES OF THE ANCIENT NORTHMEN—MORE OF THEIR RELICS DISCOVERED.—A communication from Prof. Charles E. Rafon, of Copenhagen, Secretary of the Royal Society of Northern Antiquities, to Rev. Abner Morse, of Boston, reports the discovery of ancient hearths in Denmark, like those on Cape Cod lately reported by Mr. Morse, as the work of Northmen: and adds, that it had been resolved to publish drawings of the former hearths, with descriptions of the latter, in the transactions of the Society. Mr. Morse has since read a second paper before the H. G. S., describing traces of the Northmen on Nantucket and in Dedham; and also relics, not aboriginal, at different places on the natural route from Hudson to Ohio rivers; and as one class of these is identical with relics in Massachusetts, attributed to them, some evidence may exist that they removed to the West, where, seven hundred miles west of Lake Superior, "the polite and friendly Mandan Indians, with hazel, grey, and blue eyes, and hair of various colors, and complexions as light as half breeds," might, as late as 1838, have been their representatives. (See Catlin's Letters, Vols. I and II.)

CO-NUN-DRUM.—The following is a very happy riddle, the answer to which is in the title to this item:

My first denotes a company,
My second shuns a company,
My third calls a company,
My whole amuses a company.

"In my time, miss," said a stern aunt, "the men looked at the women's faces, instead of their ankles."

"Ah, my dear aunt," retorted the young lady, "you see the world has improved, and is more civilized than it used to be. It looks more to the understanding."

A portion of the correspondence of Lord Lyons with his government appears in the latest British Blue Book. It appears that the charge of pro-slavery proclivities, etc., often made against Lord Lyons, is entirely unfounded. He writes very much like one of those personages known as an "abolitionist."

EXEMPLARY CHARITY—"Well, neighbor, what's the most Christian news this morning?" said a pious gentleman to his friend.

"I have just bought a barrel of flour for a poor woman."

"Just like you," said the other; "who is it that you have made happy by your charity this time."

"My wife."

Holloway's Pills and Ointment.—Determination of Blood to the Head, Flushings, Palpitation and Shortness of Breath are cured by these grand regulations of the heart's impulse. Under Holloway's grand specifics the current of blood throughout the body becomes steady and unchanged by the passing thought—hence the suffusion of the head and cheeks is avoided, and nervous embarrassment prevented. They, in like manner, remove excessive sensibility so often the opponent to the ease and grace inherent in the graceful and strong nerved frame, and eradicate the doubts of the nervous. In intellects declining from intense study, free living, or over anxiety, no equal remedy is attainable. Without exaggeration, they give muscular energy to the paralysed and ease to the pained.

DO YOU EXPECTORATE BLOOD?
Do you Cough?
Have you a Sore Throat?
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